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New Elevator.

Mr. Duston, contractor, who has the construction of the new elevator in charge, expects that the work will be completed in about two months.

The elevator has a base area of 32 ft. by 30 ft. and will be fifty feet in height to the first floor, the upper portion being 10 feet beyond that point, making a building nearly 70 ft. high. It will be covered, like the mill, with corrugated iron.

Owing to change of management, the mill has not been running for a time; but Mr. Waite the new manager, expects to have the wheels soon humming again.

Distinguished Visitors.

Mayor Chas. May of Edmonton and Mayor Shepherd of Strathcona, accompanied by J. H. Morris, Pres. Edmonton Board of Trade; Councilmen Maize, Raymer, Mac, Kenzie & others arrived on Friday's evening train to meet the manufacturer's excursion train on the way to Edmonton.

While here they were entertained by H. H. Gaetz, L. C. Fulmer, Capt. Cottingham and J. I. Geisinger. They were given a run around town by Mr. Geisinger's auto, and altogether given a good time; winding up as guests of the above named gentlemen at an impromptu supper at the English Cafe. The train with the Canadian Manufacturer's excursion went through Red Deer at 7 o'clock Saturday.

Mr. Rothnie, Chief of Police, boarded the train and, on behalf of the Board of Trade, handed the dinner car conductor about 250 Red Deer descriptive pamphlets with the request that one be laid beside the breakfast plate of each manufacturer. This was promised to be done. The train consisted of eleven coaches, drawn by two engines.

A man was offering a number of birds for sale on the street this morning. There were grey and green parrots, canaries and Japanese Whistlers. Mr. Rothnie, however, was quickly on hand, and informed the salesman that hawking on the streets of Red Deer was contrary to By-law. The salesman thereupon departed for a more auspicious climate.

The Strike.

On Monday morning the workmen on the waterworks and street crossings went out for a 25c per hour rate, instead of the 20c they had previously been receiving. The men claimed that the lower rate was too small in view of two facts; first, that the days were rapidly going afloat which would soon mean an eight hour day, at \$3.50; again, board and living is so high that a workman, after paying expenses, had very little left. One man stated to the News that some were paying \$3 per week for board alone. The men sent a formal demand to the council some days ago, and were promised that their case would be considered. But the laborers evidently thought matters were moving too slowly, and, wishing to bring affairs to a head, went out on Monday morning.

On Monday afternoon a joint committee formed from the Public Works, Sewerage and Waterworks Committees met, and after some discussion, agreed to grant the workmen's demands for a 25c per hour rate. The men resumed work this morning.

Anniversary Services.

What may safely be considered the most successful Anniversary Services in the history of the Red Deer Presbyterian Church were those held on Sabbath last and on Monday evening. Ideal weather favored them and the general public availed themselves of the privilege afforded of hearing the best local musical talent and additional artists from a distance. The Sabbath morning service was conducted mostly by the children, the occasion being their annual "Children's Day" service. A printed form of programme was followed, and Rev. G. W. G. Fortune, late of Cranbrook, gave an interesting illustrated address which was much enjoyed.

An afternoon service at 3 p.m. was interspersed with vocal and instrumental music, and the appreciative attention of the large congregation testified to their pleasure. On this occasion, of hearing the Rev. Mr. Fortune, who had been called upon to take the service, which was to have been conducted by Rev. Dr. McRae, of Calgary. Mr. Fortune is a powerful speaker, clear and concise in his statements, and never fails to carry, from beginning to end, the rapid attention of even the smallest child.

Sunday evening's service was one of the best the church has ever had, and the capacity of the building was taxed to its utmost and a number were compelled to turn away. Rev. Mr. Fortune preached an excellent sermon.

This article would be very incomplete did it not make mention of the supper prepared on Monday evening by the Ladies' Aid Society. This particular organization is noted for its annual dinners, and this year's spread was an appetizing array of those tasty viands which only experienced housekeepers can prepare.

At the close of the function which was held between the hours of 6 and 8 p.m., a large number, again taxing the seating capacity, repaired to the church, where a choice musical and literary programme, comprising solos, duets, quartettes, readings and violin solos, was rendered. It was gratifying to hear the remark that this was one of the best programmes ever presented to a Red Deer audience by local talent. The Committee wishes to publicly express their sincere appreciation and gratitude to all those who so ably assisted in making the entertainment the success it was.

As a result of all the services, the proceeds will amount to something in excess of two hundred dollars.—Con.

Business Changes Hands.

Mr. William Hewson has, we are informed, purchased the Coal and Lumber business of the late J. M. Smith. Mr. G. W. Smith, as administrator of the estate, acted for the firm, the price paid being ten thousand dollars. The deal was closed this morning.

Homestead Entries.

There were 207 Homestead Entries at the Dominion Land Office, Red Deer, during September.

Building Permits.

For the month of September the building permits in Red Deer amounted to \$14,270.

Jas. P. Ohlsen saw two moose on Thursday of last week on his homestead three miles north of Oshon. They were grazing in a little thicket and Mr. Ohlsen got within 30 rods of them before they ran away. They were good size and appear to be making their home in that vicinity.

"The Convict's Daughter," is a play that no one can afford to miss seeing, especially when it is produced on the scale of magnificence by such clever people as the Pringle Company. Prices 25-35-50c.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Give the by-law a plumper next week.

Vote early and get your friends to turn out and vote a lot for the by-law to control the intake of our water system.

The town is almost a unit on the intake by-law. The Council favors it. Public minded citizens back it up and the thoughtful and level headed ratepayers will vote for it. Don't let it be defeated by your failure to vote on the 10th.

It appears that Mr. Cushing the Minister of Public Works, took the bit in his teeth with regard to the purchase of a site for a Court House at Wetaskiwin, and made his own selection without consulting the Liberal Executive of that town. For this crime he has been raked over the coals. We commend the Minister for the stand he has taken. Why should everything from the appointing of a pound keeper, up, be submitted to these associations? We want more politicians of Mr. Cushing's stamp, be they Grit or Tory, and the general public will back them up every time.

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600 acres first class land, 12 miles west of town, 25 acres of good timber, balance nearly all clear, all wire fenced. \$12.00 on good terms.

480 acres north of Evans, excellent soil, some good timber, very little brush. No waste land. \$10.00, \$19.20 cash, balance in 9 year at 6 per cent.

Good Cottage, plastered and well finished and four lots on corner for \$800, \$450 cash, balance one year, will soon be very valuable property. Good spec.

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WOMAN PROPOSES

By BEATRICE STUART

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For the first two years after she entered Stuart Lee's office as stenographer Miss Althea's desk was placed so that every time she glanced up she saw the back of his head. This oft recurring incident, coupled with the fact that it was a very good looking head, well set on a pair of stalwart shoulders, probably had much to do with the state of affairs at the end of six months. Even in that time she had learned to distinguish his step from the dozens of others that traversed the same hall, to watch for his smile of greeting and to listen to his cheery "Good morning" as he took off his hat and rolled up the cover of his book. Then she would take a good look at the smoothly brushed yellow hair and turn again to her work, which consisted of copying out long contracts and other tiresome legal forms.

Stuart Lee was a lawyer and had bent all his young efforts so hard to ward success that it was beginning to come his way. At the end of two years he took larger offices, allowing himself the luxurious necessity of a private room. Miss Althea then had charge of the large outside room, the second stenographer and the office boy. She saw more people and received more salary, but she missed the closer comradeship of the old days and the familiar sight of a blond head rising firmly above blue serge shoulders.

She kept on loving him, though, for the simple feminine reason that she couldn't help it.

Sometimes Lee gave her dictations that would take up an hour or more, and then he would make her rest a bit and chat with him before she started

"Just for a while."

"Yes, for I mean to study law and keep my other work in practice so I can help."

"Help? Whom?"

"Help—him." "He is a lawyer, then?" Lee almost choked over the question.

"Yes."

"What is he like? Is he all right? Is he worthy of you?"

She looked at him, he thought, a little sadly. "Like? He is the finest man in the whole world."

He walked swiftly to her. "But, Helen, Helen," he exclaimed, "don't understand me. I thought you were happy here, and I supposed, of course, you understood things. I'm lonely too. I haven't had a home for six years, and I don't like to leave you \$20. The law here is only \$14 and reduces the gain on the former from \$40 to \$32. Why do you keep it?"

"I don't know," she answered, "but I would be better off with the one than the other. For you would have only half the investment, half the work and half the feeling. You would gain \$14 each year."—Farm Journal.

Dairymaids.—In many of the dairy women men in dairying and the care of the cow. The course is free. It covers six months and begins about the middle of May. The fee is \$10. The instruction is done under the personal direction of practical instructors.

Reading the Milk Maker.—Parasitism feeding will begin the first of June. All registered breeders have been developed by liberal feeding as well as intelligent selection. Retrospection cannot be the best way of doing it. The young and young animals born to be champions of their breeds have their possibilities stifled. At the door of the dairy, the milk maker is the cause of more cases of discouragement, loss of money and finally giving up of improved dairy stock than any other cause.

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GRADING CREAM.

Factors That Influence the Test of Cream From Separators.

First grade cream should contain not less than 30 per cent of butter fat, for the reason that cream with this per cent of butter fat will keep better and cost less to transport than cream of a lower grade. The cream separator will recover more skim milk. Some causes that tend to lower the butter fat to below 30 per cent in cream separated with a cream separator are as follows: The variation in the per cent of butter fat of hand separated cream is very great if operators are not careful in operating their machines uniformly.

Running the Separator. The first and probably the most important cause that reduces the per cent of butter fat in cream is by turning too slowly, not giving the bowl enough speed. Anything that tends to change the speed of the bowl from an equal pressure at all points in its circuit around the axis. The speed at which the machine should be run is indicated by the manufacturer. Follow these instructions and count the revolutions each time the machine is used to insure uniformity.

If milk is warm the cream will contain a slightly higher per cent of butter fat; if cold it will contain a slightly lower per cent. Milk immediately after it is drawn from the cow has the proper temperature at which to separate.

Other Causes. Milk should be run through a separator at a constant rate. If milk is fed into the separator at an uneven rate, the machine should be stopped, the thickness of the cream will be greatly influenced. The faster milk is run through a separator the thinner will be the cream, other conditions being equal.

The amount of water or skim milk used to flush out the separator will tend to decrease the per cent of butter fat by diluting the cream with water or milk.

A cream screw or skim milk screw in each separator for the purpose of changing the thickness of cream when desired. By this it can be so regulated as to give thin or thick cream, and when once set, if all other conditions of the separator are uniform, it will produce nearly a constant per cent of butter fat.

Why Indirect? Two cows cost \$40 each per year for keep. One of them yields you 4,000 quarts of milk a year, that bring you \$80. The other yields 1,200 quarts, that bring you \$24. The latter has cost you \$14 and reduces the gain on the former from \$40 to \$32. Why do you keep it?

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Solving the Problem of Stalk Handling and High Priced Land.

Stalk feed stock is inferior to silage feed stock, and the heavy stalks accumulating in the barn yards are a hard to handle. It is a difficult matter to get them upon the field, and after they are there they hinder cultivation. The purpose of the stalk feed is to get rid of the stalks in the field, and to become more and more woody you lose 50 per cent of the feed value. This half of the stalks increases the difficulty in handling at least 100 per cent. All these problems are solved by the silo. It takes all the corn, cuts it up at a time when it is full of rich feed and preserves it in prime condition for winter use. The manure from silage feed stock is preferable to that of stalk feed stock because it is much easier to handle and can be applied to the land more economically. The silo is "it."

On High Priced Land. When you have any land anything above \$5 an acre it is something of a problem how to make the land pay for itself. The best farmer is up to the neck in the land, and the farmer has no snap unless he attends to business and is posted. If a man is going to keep one cow to every four acres, he has to pay \$20 in tax for the land that cow must make him \$120 above expenses in order to pay the interest on the money invested in the land alone. This does not allow anything for improvements, interest on the price of the cow or labor. The solution of the whole problem lies in silos and silage. The forty acre farm with a silo is worth just as much as the eighty acre farm without one when it comes to earning capacity. If a man depends upon hay, corn and pasture alone he can keep only about one-third as much stock as if silage entered his picture. The silo is the solution of profits from high priced land, declares Kimball's Dairy Farmer in conclusion to the foregoing appreciation of the silo.

Exact Knowledge. It will pay every man to weigh the milk of every cow at every milking. Records show that there are whole farms that are not getting the best of their milk. Weighing pays because only a definite record of the best cows shows whether each one is doing her best or not. The farmer who is exposed to the next best scheme is a week's test every second week. This will give near the actual yield. You cannot afford to let your milk go wrong. The silo should be a record of the total amount of food that goes into the herd.—Professor H. B. Van Norman.

Ante-Lock. Locks were used in the time of the pharaohs. At Karnak the visitor is shown the sculptured representation of a lock which is almost exactly like one kind of lock used in Egypt at the present day. The lock was made of iron and used a brass key to open her wardrobe. He adds that it was very crooked and had an iron handle. A Greek writer of the first century A.D. tells us that the Egyptians explained that such keys were undoubtedly very ancient, although still to be seen in Constantinople and other places. The lock was made of iron, required a partial sliding of the key. They were, however, more intricate.

Darwin and Books. Darwin is it affirmed that he secured the value of the books and would treat a Zoroastrian binding with the same sacred courtesy that he exercised to the same extent upon a book of mine. He appeared to him a useless weight and decided in the way, and he often got rid of them by ripping them off. Some of the books were borrowed from the library, and he was very kind to give him any book which he wished to borrow, for they know that, if it were given to him, it would be a book worth to be at an end.

Have a Definite Aim. No life amount to much until it has a programme—something definite, something particular. Nothing else can take the place of it. Education cannot be a vague, general, cannot work cannot. Until there is a definite aim the energies will run to waste, the ability be squandered. The faculties deteriorate when working without a definite aim.

With Lightning Rapidity. "Wonderful eye that boy of mine's got," said the proud father.

"That's" mechanically replied the mother, "he's trying to get away."

"You never saw such a sense of proportion," cried the proud father. "Pass that boy the cake dish and he'll spot the biggest piece on it every time."

A Political Pointer. Bragley—Restaurant waiters would make strong candidates if they were in politics. Don't you think so? Wigway—I don't see how. Bragley—Haven't you noticed that they carry everything before them?

One Demand For Aluminium. There is a great scarcity of aluminium in the world today. The reason given is that the automobile manufacturers use this metal in the machinery of the cars, thus increasing the amount used far more than any other single industry. The supply of aluminium comes from only four sources in the world. These are the only four sources of a very great extent. The chief of these sources is represented by the Pittsburgh Reduction Company at Niagara Falls. In Great Britain there is the British Aluminium Company, whose plant is at the Falls of Foyers, and on the coast of Norway there is the Norsk Hydro Aluminium Works in Sweden and Germany.

Hope writes the poetry of the day. But memory that of the man—Eymon.

He Knows It All. "Do you believe that one mind can absorb the sum total of human intelligence?"

"Well, I don't. I've got a boy who is a senior in college, you know."

A Japanese Puzzle. In Japan it is the custom to punish an unruly child by burning holes in its "moxa," an instrument called the "moxa," or "moxa."

Manoeuvres Life Work. Hancock devoted nearly thirty years to his "History of the United States," which is not a history of the United States at all, since it ends where the Declaration of Independence was signed. Hancock was a man of letters. Hancock had the work been continued on the same scale down to the present, seventy-five or eighty volumes would have been required.

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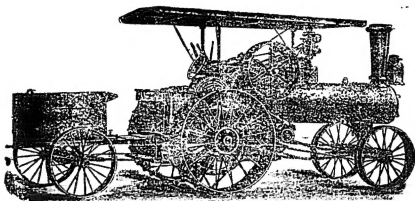
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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2nd, 1906.

SUPPLEMENT TO CROP
BULLETIN NO. 3.

In concession to a wide-spread expression of dissatisfaction, especially in the Lethbridge district with the figures set forth in the recent Crop Bulletin, the Minister of Agriculture has issued a supplement correcting the report. The people of the Lethbridge district were much incensed; the Board of Trade appointed a committee to investigate, and to give a more correct return. The report of this committee is given in the Bulletin Supplement. But what of other districts whose crop areas are grossly underrated? Nothing is done to correct the returns in other cases. The Red Deer district "includes the country adjacent to the C. E. R. R. from Penhold to Blackfalds." And the acreage of Winter Wheat is placed at 250 acres. This is no estimate but a ridiculous guess. This agitation will have one good result, and that is in future the Department of Agriculture will likely be more careful in regard to the sources of information upon which the compilation of these estimates are based. All Red Deer in common with other districts desires is that the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth may be told.

A LARGE ORDER.

As one instance of the growing importance of Red Deer we note the following order placed by Messrs. Latimer and Bottrell with the Cookshutt Plow Co. It is an order placed with them for goods for the coming Winter and Spring. The order is based upon the actual business done this season, and is not an abnormal increase by any means. The Shipment consists of ten car loads, three of which are already on the way. Four years ago Red Deer was considered scarcely important enough to warrant an agency at all; now, we see this striking index of a great business. Mr. Latimer, who is Gen. Western Manager of the Cookshutt Plow Co. and knows what he is talking about, states that this shipment (weighing 144 445 lbs) is the largest individual order ever placed with the Cookshutt Co. from Alberta. He also states that 25 per cent more cash is received from the Red Deer agency than from any other in the province. Strong evidence of our town's progress is it not? Red Deer is IT!

A UNIVERSITY REQUIRED.

There is a growing need for a University in this province. A well-governed Provincial University would be a great boon to the youth of Alberta. It should be established at once, if it give no more than two years' course in each of the following academic branches:—Arts, Medicine, Law etc.

The Presbytery of Calgary at a recent session urged upon the Government the immediate necessity for such a institution, giving these excellent reasons: "Because of the pressing need of such an institution to crown the state education as carried on in the schools.

"Because of the great distance the youth of this province are from university centres."

"To meet the demands of a rapidly growing population desirous of colleges or universities purely state or provincial.

"Because the various churches require to have arts classes for their students and these religious denominations do not wish and should not be required to provide for more than their own theolog-

ical work."

It was ordered that a copy of this resolution be sent to the other denominations in the province.

POSTAL SERVICE.

The Camrose Mail is waging a fierce and aggressive warfare for better freight service, better telegraph service and better postal facilities. To expose the unsatisfactory condition of the postal service the Mail has adopted a unique plan. The plan is to send out a letter or circular to a distant office, stamping the mailing date on the cover or envelope, and asking the recipient to inform the Mail the date upon which such letter or circular was received. In this way long delays in postal delivery are detected.

However, Red Deer has no reason to grumble over postal facilities. The mail is handled with as much despatch as possible in a cramped and insufficient space. The evening mail was intended to be a convenience, but as this mail rarely brings over a dozen or so of letters (rarely anything from the East) the convenience does not warrant the extra hours entailed on the Staff, particularly as the Assistant Post Master has often to wait until nine or ten o'clock for late trains. An evening service would be a convenience, if the mail from the East arrived on it; otherwise not. In that event it would do away with the bulk of mail at noon. In comparison with statements of complaints, however, from Calgary, Edmonton and smaller places, Red Deer is very fortunate in its mail service.

The circular from Camrose sent us was mailed on Sept. 25th, reaching this office at noon, Sept. 27th. That is not bad.

REAL ESTATE FIRM.

There appears to be some depression in the real estate business just now. No doubt Real Estate, like all other businesses, must expect periods of comparative stagnation; and probably, the high prices put on town and farm property may contribute something to the cause.

While admitting the injury to town and vicinity by prices which are practically prohibitive, we yet incline to the belief that a good price put on property and firmly adhered to, will eventually prove beneficial. We would rather see the real estate market firm at a high level than to see it at a low ebb with more rapid sales. A high figure on property will in turn have a favorable reaction; since only men of means will be able to purchase, and these are in a position to develop the place in which they settle.

The lands adjacent to Red Deer were, we are told, originally held at a far higher figure than those in proximity to other towns on this line; consequently, men passed by Red Deer to locate elsewhere. In time, however, these lands were bought by men with some capital, with the result that Red Deer has of late outstripped many other towns, which four years ago were far more pretentious. There may be other causes for Red Deer's rapid progress, but the high price maintained on lands must be accorded a full share.

Army of Harvesters.

Montreal, Sept. 26.—Final figures for the western harvest excursion season show that 23,657 laborers went west, which is many more than ever went before. This means that considerably over \$600,000 will be paid directly into the treasury of railways merely to get men west.

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\$10.00 each is offered for the return of 2 two year old mare colts that left the range about 2 miles west of Edwell during first week of May. One was a bay, star in face, bushy mane and tail. The other, a dark iron gray with hair off back.

G. A. PORTER, Red Deer, or
C. G. WHEELER, Horn Hill.

Lost Horse.

A sorrel, white face, with halter on, branded "B" on left shoulder and left hip, also "A" on right shoulder. Strayed from Ponoka travelling south. \$5.00 reward will be paid to hold him up and notify GEO. MCENTIRE, of PONOKA 34-34

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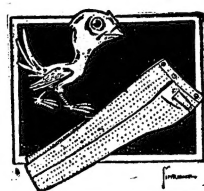
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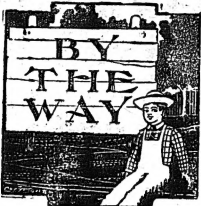
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"half-off" or thereabouts, at present we'll take chances on replenishing so as to cover our August prices. A quick buy is a certain bargain.

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GAETZ AVE. - RED DEER.

Forestry Convention Is Under Way.

Vancouver, Sept. 26.—The Forestry Convention opened this morning with a large attendance. Earl Grey was present and delivered an address.

New Insurance Scheme.

Winnipeg Sept. 26.—The C. P. R. inaugurated yesterday a scheme by which every pound of freight or express on its lines are insured. They claim distinction for the first move of this kind in the railroad world.

Alberta Man Passed.

Kingston, Sept. 28.—As the result of the supplemental examinations at Queen's university, the degree of B. A. has been awarded to J. Barker of Leduc.

Better Than Ever.

The Family Herald & Weekly Star of Montreal grows better year after year. It is truly marvellous what an immense circulation it has. Very few homes in this neighborhood are without it and those do not know what they are missing. The Family Herald's new picture this season is entitled "A Tug of War," one of those beautiful subjects that brighten one's home. To give the Family Herald & Weekly Star along with such a picture for only one dollar can only be done by a paper with the Family Herald's circulation. No other Canadian paper could attempt it.

Ten More Methodist Preachers for West.

Winnipeg, Sept. 28.—Ten more young preachers for Western Methodist fields arrived at noon today from England. With one exception all will go to Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Judges for Alberta.

Ottawa, Sept. 27.—At today's meeting of the cabinet the vacant Puisne judgeships in the Northwest were filled by the appointment of Messrs. E. C. Johnson of Regina, and Stewart of Calgary. For the present there is but one supreme court jointly for the provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan. Eventually, however, a separate court will be constituted for each province, when doubtless Justice Johnson will be assigned to Saskatchewan and Justice Stewart to Alberta.

Salaries For Methodists.

Montreal, Sept. 27.—At the Methodist conference today, it was decided to increase the minimum salary of married men to \$800 and for single men \$500. The attendance fell from 800 to 60 and the conference will probably conclude tomorrow. Two resolutions calculated to restrain the ministry from actively participating in commercial undertakings were voted down. The church law remains as was, merely slightly revised. The ministers are not to engage in business.

Local and General

Vote For the By-law on Wednesday, Oct. 10th.

There are 90 cases of Typhoid in Edmonton.

Didsbury has been incorporated as a town.

Mr. Latimer, of Latimer and Botterill, was in town last week.

List your lands with Finley & Co.

Wilson Pyper the pioneer Hotel man of Stettler was in town a few days this week.

Thos. Dunning late manager of the Arlington Hotel left on Wednesday last for Edmonton.

A proposition for a tramway to connect Edmonton and Strathmore is on foot.

Miss Gertie Latimer and Miss Savage, both of Calgary, are the guests of Mrs. W. J. Botterill.

Mr. White left on a prospecting tour along the Lacombe branch last week.

Save your car fare by taking Shortland and Bookkeeping at home. See Mr. Maupin at the Presbyterian Manse after Sept. 10.

Harry Evans, an old time rancher of Pine Lake, returned with his bride from England on Wednesday.

Laborers are very scarce just now. A good deal of work around but no men. The town wants men, as do also the mills.

List your lands with Welliver & Drake. They are doing a good business, and are in touch with buyers.

A census to show the number of members in the several religious denominations will be taken in the city of Edmonton.

R. Grigg, commissioner to Canada from his Majesty's Board of Trade, London, England, was a visitor in town on Friday.

Mr. Finley now has the furniture installed in his real estate office on Gaetz Ave., and is prepared to handle both town and country property.

Infantile lot one of its oldest and most prominent residents on Tuesday evening, Sept. 25th, by the death of Alex. Curry in his 62nd year.

E. Woodman, of Olds, organizer for the Canadian Order of Foresters, was in town this week. While here he installed a large number of new members.

Mrs. J. Wallace and the Misses Wallace, Woodlea Crescent, will receive Friday, 5th, October from three to six, and afterwards the first and second Monday of the month.

The Edmonton city council has decided that all over hanging and projecting signs, electric included, must come down and that no more shall go up.

It is expected that all members of the Canadian Order of Foresters will parade to the Baptist Church on Sunday morning, Oct. 14th for divine service. Rev. Daniel will conduct the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Short of Pine were in town this week. While here they purchased a model "M" Cadillac touring Motor Car from the Central Alberta Land Co. who are the agents for Alberta.

The coroner's jury enquiring into the cause of the wreck on the C.A.R. at Macleod last, have returned a verdict severely condemning the C.P.R. for not having a proper switch at that point.

Dr. Denovan, last week, performed two operations for Appendicitis in the hospital here. One patient was F. Maddox, who resides in the country about 10 miles out; the other was Miss Jessie Glass, of Lacombe. Both are recovering.

It is said that the Canadian Northern Railway survey line from Edmonton to the summit of the Yellow Head Pass has been completed. The survey is complete and the line continuous from end to end.

Building is going on rapidly in Parkvale. Residences are now being built by the following people:—Mr. Graves, Mr. Ed Cook; W. T. Bowhey; Miss Louden; Mr. Rutherford; J. Wallace, three cottages; and Julius McIntosh.

Last week Messrs Springbett and Bowhey sold a complete threshing outfit to Mr. J. K. Eggenberger. The outfit included a 20 horse power traction engine and a 32-54 threshing machine and was manufactured by the J. I. Case Co.

The News and one of the following papers for one year for \$1.50.

Winnipeg Telegram, Mail and Empire, Family Herald and Weekly Star.

For St the News and Farm and Ranch Review for one year.

E. H. Shacklock, a new arrival from England, met with a painful accident on Monday as he was returning home. He was riding upon a load of lumber when, owing to a lurch of the wagon, he fell off. The wheel passed over his arm causing a bad wound. He was brought into town by Mr. Hussey and is now as well as can be expected.

Messrs Latimer and Botterill sold, for the International Harvester Co., a threshing outfit to Armanau Bros. Burnt Lake.

The engine was a gasoline one 12 horse power and the first that this Co. has put out here; the threshing machine was a No. 32. They also sold a self feeding attachment for a threshing machine sold last year to Mr. Jas. Bower.

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RED DEER FAIR OCT. 9TH AND 10TH.

Mrs. E. Payne will receive Thursday, Oct. 4th, afternoon and evening.

Miss Edith Postill entertained a number of friends on Friday evening.

Mr. John Dickson was brought from Stettin on Friday suffering from typhoid fever, he was taken to the hospital.

Mr. Ed. Botterill, lab of the McCormick Implement firm here, is now in charge of the Pacific Elevator Co's elevator at Camrose.

Mr. John Forrester, who has been visiting Saskatoon and other points in Saskatchewan, returned to Red Deer on Sunday.

Mr. J. A. Bannerman, Inspector of ranches in the Calgary district, is in town this week.

WANTED—A servant girl for general housework. Apply, Mrs. A. B. Purdy.

Mr. Buchanan, of the Merchants Bank, left for Toronto on Saturday night to pursue an Arts course at Toronto University.

Messrs Springberg and Bowley sold another Case Grain Thresher last week. Also an Engine and Wood saw, and a Windmill and Wood saw.

Mr. and Mrs. Brumpton and daughters, left on Saturday for New Westminster Fair.

Mr. J. F. Gaetz and wife, accompanied by Miss Florence McKinnon, left on Saturday for the Coast. They will visit Vancouver, Victoria and other points of interest.

Lord Kirkwood and Secretary Head of the East End Immigration society, Leadenhall St, London England, was in Red Deer Friday and Saturday. His lordship is on a visit to Canada in the interests of the society. It is strictly a charitable institution run by the foremost and wealthiest people of England.

Mr. Alex McDonald, who purchased the Finley Photography business, arrived in town on Thursday last, and is to be found at his studio.

A number of fish, purchased in Ontario, will be placed in lakes in the vicinity of Crossfield and of Lacombe.

WANTED—A fresh milk cow must be young and gentle. Apply A. N. McKinnon of Latimer and Botterill.

In consequence of his ad. on the front page of the News, Mr. F. Tallman sold, on Monday, five National steel ranges, two cook stoves and three heaters. Since Jan. 1st, Mr. Tallman has sold 63 ranges. He pays to advertise.

Rev. J. S. Short has resigned the pastorate of the Presbyterian church at Dewinton.

The Vermilion fair has been postponed from October 1st and 2nd to Oct. 15th and 16th.

Part of the agricultural grounds is being considered as a hospital site in Wetaskiwin.

Wm. Maloney of Calgary has purchased the Dominion Hotel at Stettin from Wilson Pyper.

A colony of beavers is reported to have constructed a dam on the Rosebud river, about five miles east of Carstairs.

"The Convict's Daughter," as played by the Pringle Co. is a marvel of rich dressing, combined with the most finished acting. Seats now on sale at Grievie & Berry's.

The people of Ponoka will vote on Oct. 9th, on bylaws providing for the construction of a combined fire hall and town hall.

Mrs. McVicar, delegate to the Women's Home Missionary Society will leave to-day to attend the Convention in Olds this p. m. and evening.

Miss Georgie Beecher, daughter of the H. B. manager at Mo Leod, laid the corner-stone of the company's new building in that town last week.

During the week there have been no less than five runaways; among the bunch was Dr. Donavan's horse and buggy; Mr. Ed. Botterill's team and buggy, and three teams from the country. The Dr.'s horse was badly cut up and the buggy slightly damaged. Mr. Botterill's team smashed the rig, but luckily no person was injured.

There will be a directors meeting of the Red Deer creamery association at the creamery on Friday next the 5th. inst. at 1 o'clock. Matters of importance will be discussed. We understand the drain question will again be under consideration. We hope an amicable solution of the question will be arrived at.

Mr. Stone is painting two fine signs this week. One is for F. Michener and Co., Meat Market; the other is for the Merchants Bank at Stettin, and is similar to the one on the Merchants Bank here.

On last Tuesday evening the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Stone was the scene of a pleasant dinner and party given in honor of their daughter Mrs. Gordon Wilson, who is leaving home to take up housekeeping, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson are residing on Douglas St.

S. Mitchell of Tofteld reports that while sleeping in a tent near his house, he was aroused by a puffing and snorting near his head. Jumping up, he encountered a bear sitting on its haunches only a few feet away. He started for the house to get a gun which he discharged in the direction in which he thought the animal lay, but saw nothing more of it.

Penfold.

The strike is still on in Calgary.

Mr. E. P. From, formerly, has returned from the old country. The Opera House is being thoroughly improved and repaired.

Charles Stringer was killed in C. C. P. R. yard, near Calgary, on Friday evening last.

A branch of the Merchants Bank will be built at Dayland.

The waterfalls are being laid on River Ave., Park Ave. and East Ave.

A skating, hockey and curling rink is to be erected at Stettin.

The first council of Vermilion was elected by acclamation.

Mr. C. A. Stuart, M. P. P. has been appointed to a judgeship.

James Targett committed suicide on Ninth St. Edmonton, on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Meeres' hand was crushed in a mangle at the steam laundry last week.

The Olds' Fair on Sept. 28 was well attended. It is believed that there will be a good surplus of funds.

Mr. J. H. McKay, Merchant, Ailsa Craig, Ont., a cousin of Mrs. Sange Bannerman, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bannerman last week. He left for home on Friday.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held Friday 8.30 p.m. at Mrs. Bell's.

"The Convict's Daughter" possesses a charm that the years cannot fade, as it is immortal, and when it is produced in such a lavish and complete manner as in the production given by the Pringle Company it becomes an artistic treat which no one can afford to miss seeing. Opera House one week starting Monday October 8th.

A gang of Italian Navvies had a fight with some white men in Cochrane on Saturday evening. Two of the latter were slashed with knives but will recover. Thirteen Italians have been arrested.

Mr. North started his coal and teaming business yesterday morning with two serviceable drays.

Mr. Ross, Gaetz Ave. will probably build a house on the lot he has purchased. Mr. Ross will take up the piano, organ and sewing machine business.

Seventy or eighty tons of coal fell on two Italians in the mine at Bankhead on Saturday and killed them. They had not properly supported the roof.

Robert Blair who lives near Vermilion had his neck broken in a runaway accident on Sept. 10th. Dr. Ryan set the neck in plaster of paris and it is believed that Blair will recover.

The eleven-year-old son of Frank Foreman near Stettin, while going out shooting with his fourteen-year-old brother, accidentally shot the latter, the bullet entering near the base of the skull. Hopes are entertained for his recovery.

The third annual meeting of the Lacombe Teachers' Association will be held in Ponoka on Thursday and Friday, Nov. 1st and 2nd, at 2 p.m. Papers are being prepared on Spelling, writing, number work, Geography Literature and Home Work. Programmes will be forwarded later. It is desirable that all teachers of the Lacombe Inspectorate should attend.

P. H. Thibaudau, President

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The Penfold Rifle Club have ordered a silver cup to be the property of the member for one year, making the highest score at an annual shoot. Three times entitles the member to hold the cup.

William McDonald has sold his threshing outfit to Mike Lamarch and Bill Bond. The transfer took place last week.

Tom Walton, who received a well drilling outfit at this point a few months ago, has been wrestling with the problem ever since. His drills were all for rock work and were not giving satisfaction. Last week he received a clay drill and now he is happy, claiming to have the best well-drilling outfit in the country. Tom is nothing if not thorough.

John Miller, the section boss, had an experience last week he will remember for a time. He had been joining his chickens and could not trace the marauder. At last he placed a number of traps around the hen house at every available hole. In the morning he was rewarded by finding a skunk in one of the traps. The next thing was to find a gun that would shoot around a corner. The only available one, owned by the agent, had been sent away for repairs. So Jack skunked in with a club and put an end to Mr. Skunk, the neighbors in the vicinity, in the meanwhile, retiring to their dollars. On resuming work on section even the Galicians and Dukes struck, so Jack told them to bury him for a time, he nearly said heep, from which he emerged a wiser as well as a sweeter man.

Walter Shuh, returned from Montana a few days ago, where he had been called, owing to the illness and subsequent death of his brother.

John Olford, late of Newfoundland, has purchased the David Logan farm east of here.

Jack and Bob Logan have made a contract to save lumber for Jack McEnroy away up west of here. The contract runs for three years. They will not, therefore, be threshing this year.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Fleming, a daughter.

Miss Emma Fleming has resumed her studies at the Business College, Edmonton.

The teachers of this neighborhood, including Miss Morrison, of Essexville; Miss Speakman, of Antler Hill; Miss Carswell, of Penfold; Miss Clarke, of Horn Hill; and Miss Code, of Edwell, attended the Teacher's Convention at Olds, Thursday and Friday last.

A. D. McKenzie has purchased a hay press, and will now be able to bale the large quantity of hay he has stacked. He will no doubt "Make Old Rome Howl" for a time.

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Horn Hill.

David Ficker, as usual was the first farmer threshed out in this northern parish.

Geo. Domoney lost a fine, young saddle pony last week. The animal was so badly cut by barbed wire that it had to be shot.

Laighton Parker is busy pounding out the grain with his threshing outfit. The yield per acre so far has been about what was expected and the sample first class.

Tom Wells, wife and family have arrived from the coast. Tom will help on the threshing outfit as he has an interest in the machine.

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First Vice Pres.—Miss Melrose, Didsbury. Second Vice President—Mr. Russel, Olds. Secretary Treasurer—Miss York of Innisfail.

Trenville. No school Tuesday afternoon on account of fire.

W. Scott has left for Red Deer to take charge of Albert Coghill's threshing machine.

H. Ramsay has gone to Red Deer to take charge of the water works system.

Bert Coghill has joined Geo. Goyne's threshing outfit, as an engineer.

Fire broke out Friday noon east of the school-house and before it could be put under control it had burned over about fifteen hundred acres. No buildings were destroyed. The principal losses